

**Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
Expedited Procedure – Art Unit 1612**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

FUNKE *et al.*

Appl. No.: 10/581,447

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For: **Active Substance Combinations  
Having Insecticidal and Acaricidal  
Properties**

Confirmation No.: 2172

Art Unit: 1612

Examiner: Maewall, Snigdha

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**Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated February 26, 2010, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks and Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.